PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q77074

Toshiyuki KITAHARA

Appln. No.: 10/644,758

Group Art Unit: 2627

Confirmation No.: 7284

Examiner: Mark S. BLOUIN

Filed: August 21, 2003

For:

RECORDING MEDIUM CARTRIDGE AND RECORDING AND REPRODUCING

DEVICE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month(s), extending the time for responding to the Office Action of May 2, 2006 to September 5, 2006. (September 2, 2006 being a Saturday and September 4, 2006 being a Holiday).

A check for the statutory fee of \$120.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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